

Passed Assistant Paymaster George W. Bauernschmidt to be a paymaster in the Navy, with the rank of lieutenant commander, to rank from the 1st day of July 1937.

The following-named assistant paymasters to be passed assistant paymasters in the Navy, with the rank of lieutenant, to rank from the date stated opposite their names:

Donald S. Gordon, May 1, 1937.

John W. Haines, June 3, 1937.

Allan McL. Gray, June 30, 1937.

Ernest C. Collins, June 30, 1937.

Henry S. Cone, June 30, 1937.

Milton C. Dickinson, June 30, 1937.

The following-named citizens of the United States to be assistant paymasters in the Navy, with the rank of ensign, to rank from the date stated opposite their names:

Burrows W. Morgan, Jr., August 16, 1937.

John Vinn, Jr., September 22, 1937.

The following-named acting chaplains to be chaplains in the Navy with the rank of lieutenant, to rank from the date stated opposite their names:

Frank R. Hamilton, June 3, 1937.

Lon P. Johnson, June 30, 1937.

Carl M. Sitler, June 30, 1937.

David L. Quinn, June 30, 1937.

Lt. (Jr. Gr.) Allan M. Chambliss to be an assistant naval constructor in the Navy, with the rank of lieutenant (junior grade), to rank from the 1st day of June 1936.

The following-named ensigns to be assistant naval constructors in the Navy, with the rank of ensign, to rank from the 31st day of May 1934:

Charles H. Gerlach

Edward R. Tilburne

Edgar H. Batcheller

George C. Wells

Walter E. Baranowski

Civil Engineer Archibald L. Parsons to be a civil engineer in the Navy, with the rank of rear admiral, to rank from the 1st day of October 1937.

Lt. (Jr. Gr.) Lewis M. Davis, Jr., to be an assistant civil engineer in the Navy, with the rank of lieutenant (junior grade), to rank from the 1st day of June 1936.

The following-named ensigns to be assistant civil engineers in the Navy, with the rank of ensign, to rank from the 31st day of May 1934:

Neil E. Kingsley

James R. Davis

Ernest S. Bathke

Boatswain Arthur L. Parker to be a chief boatswain in the Navy, to rank with but after ensign from the 3d day of July 1934.

The following-named pharmacists to be chief pharmacists in the Navy, to rank with but after ensign, from the date stated opposite their names:

Russell P. Cunningham, March 30, 1937.

William A. Washburn, July 1, 1937.

Alfred T. Simons, July 1, 1937.

Addie Young, July 1, 1937.

The following-named lieutenants to be lieutenants in the Navy, to rank from the date stated opposite their names, to correct the date of rank as previously nominated and confirmed:

Doyle G. Donaho, June 30, 1936.

Alan R. Montgomery, June 30, 1936.

Hugh R. Nieman, Jr., July 1, 1936.

John K. McCue, November 1, 1936.

Alan B. Banister, February 1, 1937.

John C. Alderman, February 1, 1937.

George F. Beardsley, June 3, 1937.

Richard R. Ballinger, June 3, 1937.

William T. Easton, June 3, 1937.

Eddie R. Sanders, June 30, 1937.

Bernhart A. Fuetsch, July 1, 1937.

Christian L. Engleman, July 1, 1937.

Jack S. Dorsey, July 1, 1937.

#### MARINE CORPS

Col. Seth Williams, Assistant Quartermaster, to be the Quartermaster of the Marine Corps, with the rank of brigadier

general, for a period of 4 years from the 1st day of December 1937.

Lt. Col. Clarke H. Wells to be a colonel in the Marine Corps from the 1st day of September 1937.

Lt. Col. Maurice E. Shearer to be a colonel in the Marine Corps from the 1st day of November 1937.

Maj. William A. Worton to be a lieutenant colonel in the Marine Corps from the 1st day of September 1937.

Maj. John W. Thomason, Jr., to be a lieutenant colonel in the Marine Corps from the 1st day of November 1937.

Capt. Clyde H. Hartsel to be a major in the Marine Corps from the 13th day of August 1937.

Capt. Benjamin W. Atkinson to be a major in the Marine Corps from the 1st day of September 1937.

Capt. William L. Bales to be a major in the Marine Corps from the 1st day of October 1937.

The following-named captains to be captains in the Marine Corps to correct the dates from which they take rank as previously nominated and confirmed:

John B. Hill, from the 1st day of February 1937.

James R. Hester, from the 19th day of February 1937.

William F. Parks, from the 1st day of March 1937.

William A. Willis, from the 1st day of April 1937.

John S. Holmberg, from the 22d day of April 1937.

Clarence J. O'Donnell, from the 1st day of June 1937.

James M. Daly, from the 30th day of June 1937.

The following-named first lieutenants to be captains in the Marine Corps from the 30th day of June 1937:

James P. Berkeley

Thomas B. Hughes

Edson L. Lyman

Fred D. Beans

First Lt. August Larson to be a captain in the Marine Corps from the 1st day of July 1937.

First Lt. Donovan D. Sult to be a captain in the Marine Corps from the 13th day of August 1937.

First Lt. Norman Hussa to be a captain in the Marine Corps from the 13th day of August 1937.

First Lt. Henry T. Elrod to be a captain in the Marine Corps from the 1st day of September 1937.

First Lt. Robert L. McKee to be a captain in the Marine Corps from the 1st day of September 1937.

First Lt. Edward B. Carney to be a captain in the Marine Corps from the 1st day of October 1937.

First Lt. Austin R. Brunelli to be a captain in the Marine Corps from the 1st day of November 1937.

The following-named citizens to be second lieutenants in the Marine Corps, revocable for 2 years, from the 1st day of July 1937:

Frank W. Davis, a citizen of West Virginia.

Charles N. Endweiss, a citizen of Massachusetts.

Charles J. Quilter, a citizen of New York.

Frank G. Umstead, a citizen of North Carolina.

Quartermaster Clerk John L. McCormack to be a chief quartermaster clerk in the Marine Corps, to rank with but after second lieutenant, from the 17th day of September 1937.

## HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 1937

The House met at 12 o'clock noon.

The Chaplain, Rev. James Shera Montgomery, D. D., offered the following prayer:

Our Father in Heaven, Thou who dost from Thy throne behold Thy earthly children, we praise Thee that we are still folded in Thy memory. We do not ask Thee to be spared from urgent duty, but for grace and wisdom to meet it with unflinching step. We pray Thee to keep our hearts pure, our lives clear and more beneficent. O Father of deathless love, bless all our hearthstones, for there is nothing more beautiful than the heavenly triumph of loving hearts. Infinite God, lift the curtain of the world and show Thyself a God of justice, judgment, and full of mercy toward those who suffer; let us hear the notes of a better world coming into light. Grant, O Lord and Master, that brotherly love may walk

unchallenged among us. In the dear Redeemer's name. Amen.

The Journal of the proceedings of yesterday was read and approved.

#### RESIGNATION OF A MEMBER

The Chair laid before the House the following letter of resignation:

WASHINGTON, D. C., November 15, 1937.

HON. WILLIAM B. BANKHEAD,

*Speaker of the House of Representatives.*

MY DEAR MR. SPEAKER: I beg leave to inform you that I have this day transmitted to the Governor of Arkansas my resignation as a Representative in the Congress of the United States from the Second District of Arkansas.

Sincerely yours,

JOHN E. MILLER.

#### ORDER OF BUSINESS

Mr. RAYBURN. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that the business in order on tomorrow, Calendar Wednesday, may be dispensed with.

The SPEAKER. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Texas?

There was no objection.

#### ADJOURNMENT OVER

Mr. RAYBURN. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that when the House adjourns today it adjourn to meet on Friday next.

Mr. RICH. Reserving the right to object, Mr. Speaker—

Mr. CHURCH. Mr. Speaker, I object.

Mr. RAYBURN. Mr. Speaker, I move that the House do now adjourn.

Mr. DICKSTEIN. Mr. Speaker, will the gentleman withhold that motion a moment so that I may submit a unanimous-consent request?

Mr. RAYBURN. I withhold it, Mr. Speaker.

#### EXTENSION OF REMARKS

Mr. DICKSTEIN. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to extend my remarks and to include therein the names of certain individuals engaged in un-American activities in Los Angeles.

Mr. COLDEN. Mr. Speaker, reserving the right to object, I desire to ask the gentleman the source of his information with respect to these men in Los Angeles.

Mr. DICKSTEIN. The source of the information is an investigation made by a former committee of the House, of which the gentleman from California [Mr. KRAMER] was a member, and he knows all about certain groups of aliens who are working in the State of California contrary to everything that the American people stand for. They are a group of Fascists whose actions are un-American, and they are fomenting a lot of trouble through certain foreign influences. This information comes to me through the help of the gentleman from California [Mr. KRAMER] and other former members of this committee, and these are names that have not been printed at any previous time.

Mr. COLDEN. Mr. Speaker, it seems rather strange that, living in Los Angeles, I have never heard anything about this.

Mr. DICKSTEIN. I will be pleased to furnish the gentleman with all the information I have.

Mr. JENKINS of Ohio. Mr. Speaker, reserving the right to object, in view of the fact that the majority leader is so anxious to adjourn this Congress, I am going to object to the request, because I think nothing should stand in the way of adjournment.

The SPEAKER. Objection is heard.

Mr. MAVERICK. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to extend and revise my remarks in the RECORD.

The SPEAKER. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Texas?

There was no objection.

#### PERMISSION TO ADDRESS THE HOUSE

Mr. MARTIN of Massachusetts. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that my colleague the gentleman from Massa-

chusetts [Mr. GIFFORD] may be allowed to address the House for 20 minutes at this time.

Mr. O'MALLEY and Mr. CELLER reserved the right to object.

Mr. RAYBURN. I object, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. RICH. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to proceed for 10 minutes.

Mr. RAYBURN and Mr. O'MALLEY objected.

#### EXTENSION OF REMARKS

Mr. PLUMLEY. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to extend my remarks and to include an address on the Federal Social Security Act made by the director of old-age assistance in the State of Vermont.

The SPEAKER. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Vermont?

There was no objection.

Mr. CELLER. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to extend my own remarks in the RECORD on the capital gains and undistributed profits tax.

The SPEAKER. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from New York?

There was no objection.

#### PERMISSION TO ADDRESS THE HOUSE

Mr. RICH. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to proceed for 5 minutes, inasmuch as time is so precious.

Mr. O'MALLEY. I object, Mr. Speaker.

Mrs. ROGERS of Massachusetts. Mr. Speaker, I rise to ask a question of the majority leader.

The SPEAKER. That does not give the gentlewoman the floor.

Mr. RAYBURN. I do not have the floor.

Mrs. ROGERS of Massachusetts. I ask unanimous consent to proceed for 5 minutes. I accuse the administration of hamstringing business, and we were called here for the purpose of helping business.

Mr. O'MALLEY. Mr. Speaker, I object.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman from Wisconsin objects.

#### EXTENSION OF REMARKS

Mr. FISH. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to extend my own remarks in the RECORD, including a radio speech made by myself.

The SPEAKER. Is there objection?

There was no objection.

Mr. EICHER. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to extend my own remarks in the RECORD and to include therein an article written by myself for the Missouri Farmer, on pending farm legislation.

The SPEAKER. Is there objection?

There was no objection.

Mr. RICH. Mr. Speaker, a parliamentary inquiry. We were called here by the President of the United States for the transaction of business. Now the majority leader wants to adjourn the House. Is that the way to transact business?

The SPEAKER. The gentleman from Pennsylvania has not stated a parliamentary inquiry.

#### LEAVE OF ABSENCE

By unanimous consent, leave of absence was granted to Mr. RYAN, for 10 days, on account of important business.

#### ADJOURNMENT

Mr. RAYBURN. Mr. Speaker, I move that the House do now adjourn.

The SPEAKER. The question is on the motion of the gentleman from Texas that the House do now adjourn.

Mr. SNELL. Mr. Speaker, on that I demand a division. The House proceeded to divide.

Mr. SNELL. Mr. Speaker, I demand the yeas and nays. The yeas and nays were ordered.

The question was taken; and there were—yeas 227, nays 121, not voting 82, as follows:



## [Roll No. 2]

## YEAS—227

Allen, Del.	Drewry, Va.	Kopplemann	Rankin
Amle	Driver	Kramer	Rayburn
Anderson, Mo.	Duncan	Kvale	Reilly
Atkinson	Dunn	Lanham	Richards
Barden	Eberhart	Larrabee	Rigney
Barry	Eckert	Lea	Robertson
Beam	Eicher	Lesinski	Robinson, Utah
Beiter	Evans	Lewis, Colo.	Rogers, Okla.
Bell	Faddis	Long	Romjue
Bigelow	Farley	Luckey, Nebr.	Sabath
Binderup	Fernandez	Ludlow	Sacks
Bland	Fitzgerald	Luecke, Mich.	Sadowski
Bloom	Fitzpatrick	McClellan	Sanders
Boehne	Flannagan	McCormack	Satterfield
Boland, Pa.	Flannery	McFarlane	Schaefer, Ill.
Boren	Forand	McGrath	Schneider, Wis.
Boyer	Ford, Calif.	McGroarty	Schuetz
Boykin	Ford, Miss.	McKeough	Schuite
Bradley	Frey, Pa.	McMillan	Scott
Brown	Fuller	McReynolds	Scrugham
Buck	Gambrill, Md.	Magnuson	Shanley
Bulwinkle	Gehrman	Mahon, S. C.	Sirovich
Burch	Gingery	Maloney	Smith, Conn.
Burdick	Goldsborough	Martin, Colo.	Smith, Va.
Caldwell	Gray, Ind.	Massingale	Smith, W. Va.
Cannon, Mo.	Gray, Pa.	May	Snyder, Pa.
Celler	Greever	Merritt	South
Chandler	Gregory	Mitchell, Ill.	Sparkman
Chapman	Griswold	Moser, Pa.	Spence
Clark, N. C.	Haines	Mouton	Stack
Claypool	Hancock, N. C.	Murdock, Ariz.	Starnes
Cochran	Hart	Nelson	Steagall
Coffee, Nebr.	Havener	Nichols	Swope
Colden	Hendricks	Norton	Tarver
Collins	Hill, Ala.	O'Brien, Mich.	Taylor, Colo.
Colmer	Hobbs	O'Connell, R. I.	Teigan
Connerly	Honeyman	O'Connor, Mont.	Terry
Cooley	Hook	O'Connor, N. Y.	Thomas, Tex.
Cooper	Houston	O'Day	Thompson, Ill.
Cox	Izac	O'Leary	Tolan
Cravens	Jacobsen	O'Neal, Ky.	Towey
Creal	Jarman	O'Toole	Transue
Crosby	Jenckes, Ind.	Owen	Turner
Crowe	Johnson, Luther A.	Parsons	Umstead
Cullen	Johnson, W. Va.	Patman	Vinson, Fred M.
Cummings	Jones	Patrick	Vinson, Ga.
Curley	Kee	Patterson	Wallgren
Daly	Keller	Pearson	Walter
DeMuth	Kelly, N. Y.	Peterson, Fla.	Warren
Dies	Kennedy, Md.	Peterson, Ga.	Weaver
Dingell	Kennedy	Phillips	Wene
Disney	Keogh	Pierce	Whittington
Dixon	Kerr	Poage	Wilcox
Dorsey	Kitchens	Polk	Williams
Doughton	Kleberg	Rabaut	Woodrum
Doxey	Kniffin	Ramsay	Zimmerman
Drew, Pa.	Kocialkowski	Ramspeck	

## NAYS—121

Allen, La.	Fish	Lucas	Shannon
Allen, Pa.	Fletcher	Luce	Sheppard
Andresen, Minn.	Gamble, N. Y.	McLean	Short
Andrews	Gearhart	Maas	Simpson
Arends	Gifford	Mahon, Tex.	Smith, Maine
Ashbrook	Gilchrist	Mapes	Smith, Wash.
Barton	Green	Martin, Mass.	Snell
Bates	Guyer	Mason	Stefan
Brewster	Gwynne	Maverick	Sutphin
Buckler, Minn.	Halleck	Michener	Sweeney
Carlson	Hancock, N. Y.	Mills	Taber
Carter	Hartley	Mosler, Ohio	Taylor, S. C.
Case, S. Dak.	Hill, Wash.	Mott	Taylor, Tenn.
Church	Hoffman	O'Connell, Mont.	Thomas, N. J.
Clark, Idaho	Holmes	Oliver	Thomason, Tex.
Clason	Hope	O'Malley	Thurston
Cluett	Hull	O'Neill, N. J.	Tinkham
Coffee, Wash.	Hunter	Pace	Tobey
Cole, N. Y.	Imhoff	Patton	Treadway
Crawford	Jarrett	Plumley	Voorhis
Culkin	Jenkins, Ohio	Powers	Wadsworth
Dempsey	Jenks, N. H.	Randolph	Welch
Dickstein	Kinzer	Reed, Ill.	White, Ohio
Dirksen	Kirwan	Reed, N. Y.	Wigglesworth
Ditter	Knutson	Rees, Kans.	Withrow
Dondero	Lambertson	Rich	Wolcott
Douglas	Lamneck	Rockefeller	Wolverton
Dowell	Lanzetta	Rogers, Mass.	Woodruff
Eaton	Leavy	Rutherford	
Elliot	Lenke	Sauthoff	
Engel	Lord	Shafer, Mich.	

## NOT VOTING—82

Aleshire	Buckley, N. Y.	Crosser	Ferguson
Allen, Ill.	Byrne	Crowther	Fieger
Arnold	Cannon, Wis.	Deen	Fries, Ill.
Bacon	Cartwright	Delaney	Fulmer
Bernard	Casey, Mass.	DeRouen	Garrett
Biermann	Champion	Dockweiler	Gasque
Boileau	Citron	Edmiston	Gavagan
Boylan, N. Y.	Cole, Md.	Ellenbogen	Gildea
Brooks	Costello	Englebright	Greenwood

Griffith	Kennedy, N. Y.	Murdock, Utah	Sullivan
Hamilton	Lambeth	O'Brien, Ill.	Summers, Tex.
Harlan	Lewis, Md.	Palmisano	Thom
Harrington	McAndrews	Pettengill	Vincent, B. M.
Harter	McGehee	Pfeifer	Wearin
Healey	McGranery	Quinn	West
Hennings	McLaughlin	Reece, Tenn.	Whelchel
Hildebrandt	McSweeney	Robison, Ky.	White, Idaho
Johnson, Lyndon	Mansfield	Ryan	Wolfenden
Johnson, Minn.	Mead	Secrest	Wood
Johnson, Okla.	Meeks	Seger	
Kelly, Ill.	Mitchell, Tenn.	Somers, N. Y.	

So the motion was agreed to.

The Clerk announced the following pairs:

General pairs:

Mr. Crosser with Mr. Bacon.  
 Mr. Mansfield with Mr. Robison of Kentucky.  
 Mr. Boylan of New York with Mr. Crowther.  
 Mr. McAndrews with Mr. Wolfenden.  
 Mr. Summers of Texas with Mr. Allen of Illinois.  
 Mr. Mead with Mr. Seger.  
 Mr. Greenwood with Mr. Reece of Tennessee.  
 Mr. Gavagan with Mr. Englebright.  
 Mr. Sullivan with Mr. Boileau.  
 Mr. Lambeth with Mr. Pfeifer.  
 Mr. Casey of Massachusetts with Mr. Thom.  
 Mr. Kennedy of New York with Mr. McSweeney.  
 Mr. Meeks with Mr. Buckley of New York.  
 Mr. Harter with Mr. Deen.  
 Mr. Biermann with Mr. Costello.  
 Mr. Mitchell of Tennessee with Mr. Secrest.  
 Mr. Edmiston with Mr. Wearin.  
 Mr. Brooks with Mr. Kelly of Illinois.  
 Mr. Gasque with Mr. Byrne.  
 Mr. Hennings with Mr. West.  
 Mr. Delaney with Mr. McLaughlin.  
 Mr. Somers of New York with Mr. Arnold.  
 Mr. Citron with Mr. Fries.  
 Mr. Hamilton with Mr. Wood.  
 Mr. Dockweiler with Mr. Harlan.  
 Mr. Pettengill with Mr. Johnson of Oklahoma.  
 Mr. Fulmer with Mr. Ferguson.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

## SENATE BILLS REFERRED

Bills of the Senate of the following titles were taken from the Speaker's table and under the rule referred as follows:

S. 2090. An act authorizing the naturalization of Vernice May McBroom, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Immigration and Naturalization.

S. 2710. An act for the relief of Ernestine Huber Neuheller (nee Ernestine Huber); to the Committee on Immigration and Naturalization.

## ADJOURNMENT

Accordingly (at 12 o'clock and 47 minutes p. m.) the House adjourned until tomorrow, Wednesday, November 17, 1937, at 12 o'clock noon.

## REPORTS OF COMMITTEES ON PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XIII,

Mr. BLAND: Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries. S. 2575. An act to increase the efficiency of the Coast Guard; without amendment (Rept. No. 1641). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

## CHANGE OF REFERENCE

Under clause 2 of rule XXII, committees were discharged from the consideration of the following bills, which were referred as follows:

A bill (H. R. 4766) granting an increase of pension to America E. Dye; Committee on Pensions discharged, and referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

A bill (H. R. 1682) granting a pension to Elizabeth Ellen Barker; Committee on Pensions discharged, and referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

A bill (H. R. 1680) granting a pension to Wilhelmine Skilling; Committee on Pensions discharged, and referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

## PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 3 of rule XXII, public bills and resolutions were introduced and severally referred as follows:

By Mr. GUYER (by request): A bill (H. R. 8389) to provide funds to pay costs of emergency employment of laborers not needed in commercial operations of production, service, and trade; to spread a tax on all money and money equivalent (coinage, currency, and bank deposits); to provide for printing, coining, and distribution of an annual dated series of coins and paper currency; to provide for licensing of all banks and other institutions carrying entries of deposits of coins, currency, or credits of money value; to provide means of discounting outstanding coins and currency the amount of the tax levied; to provide for collecting from banks and other institutions of deposit the tax levied on deposits in their care; to provide for the coinage of 1-mill tokens, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. O'MALLEY: A bill (H. R. 8390) relating to age limits for individuals seeking positions in the executive branch of the Government, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Civil Service.

By Mr. WIGGLESWORTH: Resolution (H. Res. 349) to limit negotiations for trade agreement with Czechoslovakia pending completion of investigation by Tariff Commission; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

#### PRIVATE BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 1 of rule XXII, private bills and resolutions were introduced and severally referred as follows:

By Mr. BELL: A bill (H. R. 8391) for the relief of Frances M. Heinzelmann; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. CULKIN: A bill (H. R. 8392) granting an increase of pension to Helen R. Pickett; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 8393) granting an increase of pension to Alice M. LaFontain; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 8394) granting an increase of pension to Della M. Babcock; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. DIXON: A bill (H. R. 8395) for the relief of Caroline C. Collins; to the Committee on the Civil Service.

By Mr. GREENWOOD: A bill (H. R. 8396) granting a pension to Orville Hunter; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. GWYNNE: A bill (H. R. 8397) granting a pension to Ada M. Beeson; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 8398) granting a pension to Lydia Whitney; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. HOFFMAN: A bill (H. R. 8399) for the relief of John H. Springer; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. JENKS of New Hampshire: A bill (H. R. 8400) granting a pension to Ida B. Hunt; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. PFEIFER: A bill (H. R. 8401) for the relief of Stanley Mercuri; to the Committee on Claims.

#### PETITIONS, ETC.

Under clause 1 of rule XXII, petitions and papers were laid on the Clerk's desk and referred as follows:

3334. By Mr. GWYNNE: Petition of sundry citizens of Waterloo, Iowa, urging favorable consideration of a bill to prohibit any American manufacturer to manufacture for sale or offer for sale any war equipment or munition or any formulas for the same to any country other than the United States of America, or exhibit or allow to be exhibited in any country but the United States; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

3335. Also, petition of sundry citizens of Belmond, Iowa, urging passage of a bill to prohibit any American manufacturer to manufacture for sale or offer for sale any war equipment or munition or any formulas for the same to any country other than the United States of America, or exhibit or allow to be exhibited in any country but the United States; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

3336. By Mr. KEOGH: Petition of the New York Board of Trade, New York City, concerning farm legislation; to the Committee on Agriculture.

3337. Also, petition of the American Hotel Association of the United States and Canada, concerning the repeal of the undistributed profits tax and the Black-Connery wage and hour bill; to the Committee on Labor.

3338. By the SPEAKER: Petition of the Central Trades and Labor Council, of Allentown, Pa., and vicinity, supporting the wage and hour bill and the Schwellenbach-Allen resolution; to the Committee on Labor.

3339. Also, petition of the Internal Revenue Federal Credit Union, Washington, D. C., urging favorable consideration on Senate bill 2675 in order that the credit-union movement may not be unduly handicapped or taxed out of existence by those interests which charge higher rates of interest on small loans; to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

3340. By Mr. KEOGH: Petition of the New York Board of Trade, New York City, concerning the repeal of the undistributed profits tax; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

3341. By Mr. MERRITT: Resolution of the American Legion, Kings County, Brooklyn, N. Y., urgently requesting that the United States Veterans' Administration make immediately available to veterans of Kings County and the adjoining counties of New York State hospital facilities at the Brooklyn Naval Hospital, and that the present unused portion of the hospital facilities at that base be placed in commission without delay and that the additional beds to be made available as a result of placing said facilities in commission be prepared for the reception of World War veterans in need of such hospitalization; to the Committee on World War Veterans' Legislation.

## SENATE

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 1937

(Legislative day of Tuesday, November 16, 1937)

The Senate met at 12 o'clock meridian, on the expiration of the recess.

HOMER T. BONE, a Senator from the State of Washington; FRANCIS T. MALONEY, a Senator from the State of Connecticut; and MATTHEW M. NEELY, a Senator from the State of West Virginia, appeared in their seats today.

#### THE JOURNAL

Mr. BARKLEY. I ask unanimous consent that the Journal of the proceedings of yesterday, November 16, 1937, be approved without reading.

Mr. CONNALLY. Mr. President, reserving the right to object, I inquire if the Senator from Missouri [Mr. CLARK] is present? He would probably object if he were here.

Mr. BARKLEY. I am not able to speak for the Senator from Missouri.

Mr. CONNALLY. I do not object.

The VICE PRESIDENT. Without objection, the Journal is approved.

#### CALL OF THE ROLL

Mr. MINTON. I suggest the absence of a quorum.

The VICE PRESIDENT. The clerk will call the roll.

The legislative clerk called the roll, and the following Senators answered to their names:

Adams	Clark	Johnson, Colo.	O'Mahoney
Andrews	Connally	King	Overton
Ashurst	Copeland	La Follette	Pepper
Austin	Dieterich	Lee	Pittman
Bailey	Donahey	Lewis	Pope
Bankhead	Duffy	Lodge	Radcliffe
Barkley	Ellender	Logan	Russell
Berry	Frazier	Lonergan	Schwartz
Bilbo	George	Lundeen	Schwellenbach
Bone	Gibson	McAdoo	Sheppard
Borah	Gillette	McCarran	Shipstead
Bridges	Glass	McGill	Smith
Brown, N. H.	Graves	McKellar	Thomas, Okla.
Bulkeley	Green	McNary	Thomas, Utah
Bulow	Guffey	Maloney	Townsend
Burke	Hale	Miller	Truman
Byrd	Harrison	Minton	Tydings
Byrnes	Hatch	Murray	Vandenberg
Capper	Hayden	Neely	Van Nuys
Caraway	Herring	Norris	Wagner
Chavez	Hitchcock	Nye	White